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Sandra MacArthur Becomes Bride of Erling James Barum



MRS. ERLING JAMES BARUM (Stanford Photo) On Wedding Day

At a lovely, late August ceremony in St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Miss Sandra Marie MacArthur became the bride of Erling James Barum at a 10 o'clock nuptial service Saturday morning before 400 relatives and friends.

The Rev. James Hagerty read the double ring vows before the altar banked with bouquets of white stock, gladiolus and daisies. Denis Hudson at the organ accompanied Bruce Wenger who sang "On This Day" and "Ave Maria." Aisle pews were marked with bouquets and white satin ribbon.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. L. J. MacArthur of 24819 Eshelman Ave., Lomita, and bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Erling A. Barum of 2247 W. 250th St., Lomita.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father who gave her in marriage. She was exquisitely gowned in imported lace over electric satin styled with a scoop neckline, lace bodice and full net skirt. Her illusion veil fell from a pearl tiara and she carried a

white prayer book adorned with a white orchid and stephanotis.

Attending the bride were Marguerite Roth as maid of honor in a ballerina-length aqua gown and Margaret Barum, in pink, served as bridesmaid. Each carried a nosegay to match her gown.

Thomas Newman served the bridegroom as best man and ushers were Joe MacArthur and Curtis DeVore.

A wedding reception followed in the church hall with guests being seated at gaily decorated tables centered with candles and flowers. Miss Erling James registered the guests and Miss JoAnn Snodgrass was in charge of gifts. Upon the couple's return from a honeymoon in northern California and Carmel-by-the-Sea, they will reside at 2258 250th St., Lomita.

The new Mrs. Barum is a graduate of Narbonne High School, class of '56. She was Girl's League president and vice president of the student body, head cheer leader, member of Jane Addams and G.A.A. Her bridegroom is a Narbonne graduate of the class of '53 and was on the track team.

Hunt-Lynch Nuptial Vows Are Exchanged

Two large white columns decorated with bouquets of white gladiolus and stock flanked the flower banked altar of the St. Eugene Catholic Church last Saturday morning at 10 a.m. for the nuptial mass and wedding of Miss Marilyn Janet Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Hunt, 3006 W. 76th St., and James Leo Lynch, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Lynch, 1604 Juniper, Torrance.

The center aisle down which the bridal party walked was accented with white satin streamers and white bows tied to each pew. As the several hundred guests assembled, Mrs. Marie C. Barton at the organ, played the wedding music and also accompanied George Pilon, who sang "Ave Marie," "Panis Angelicus," "Ave Verum Corpus," and "Cana's Wedding Feast."

Entering the church first were the bridesmaids, all wearing bouffant gowns of coral crystaline over taffeta. They also wore matching hats and gloves and carried heart-shaped bouquets of coral carnations. Serving as bridesmaids were Mrs. Ray Ziegler, Mrs. Richard Hottenroth, Mrs. Patricia Richardson and Mrs. Clifford Beal.

The honor attendant was Miss Mary Lou George who wore a blue crystaline gown with a matching picture hat. Her bouquet was a heart of gold carnations.

The lovely bride on the arm of her father, her gown was of peau de soie trimmed in Alencon lace. The billowy skirt was of tulle over taffeta and fell into a sweep train. A tiara of pearls and lace held her fingertip veil and she carried a bouquet of orchids encircled by stephanotis and phaeleonopsis.

Gerald Kevin Lynch served as his brother's best man and ushers were Marvin Miller, Kevin Lynch, Harold Holmes and Joseph Girodon. The Rev. Gerald Moschel conducted the marriage rites and the mass.

A wedding brunch was held after the ceremony in the Coral room of the Rancho Country Club. The bride's table was centered with a three-tiered cake around which was a

Surprise for Hallorans

The pot-luck group invited last Saturday evening to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Phillip Halloran, 1813 Beech, for a barbecue steak dinner, turned the tables on their hosts and made the occasion a housewarming for the Hallorans.

The couple were presented with individual flower leis made by Mrs. Parke Montague along with good wishes for much happiness in their new home. The group also gave their hosts a monetary gift to purchase something for their new home.

Special guests were Dr. Halloran's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Halloran and two children of Orenda who spent the weekend here.

Members of the pot-luck group attending the party were Messrs. and Mmes Walter Levy, Robert Triplitt, Burton Easley, Parké Montague, Calvin Blakely; and Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Grubb.



MRS. JAMES LEO LYNCH, JR. (Chateau Studio) Beautiful Bride

Club Hostess

Mrs. W. E. Grubbs entertained Friday at her home, 2913 Palos Verdes Drive North.

Luncheon was served at the individual tables and the afternoon hours were spent playing bridge. High score was held by Mrs. Phyllis Klink, second by Mrs. Calvin Blakely, and third by Mrs. Phillip Halloran.

Mrs. Grubbs guests included: Mmes Burton Easley, Robert Triplitt, Walter Levy, Calvin Blakely, Gerald Eastham, Phyllis Klink, Phillip Halloran and Parke Montague. The club will be entertained on Sept. 14 by Mrs. Halloran.

FAMILY VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Triplitt and children, Scotty and Wendy, 3236 Eldorado, will leave Sept. 5, for a two weeks vacation. They have reservations at the Elani Lodge near Bishop, for three days, and will go from there to Lake Tahoe, Reno and other points of interest.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barrington, who have spent the past several weeks at their resort home, have returned to their Torrance home at 1541 Post Ave.

VISIT PARENTS

Second Lieutenant and Mrs. Duane Mittan of Santa Barbara, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mittan of 719 Cota Ave., before leaving for Fort Benning, Ga.

Lt. Mittan will take 16 weeks of officer's training before being assigned to a permanent base.

The visitors will spend a few days with Mrs. Mittan's mother in Santa Rosa, before continuing on a scenic trip via Crater Lake, Salt Lake City, Black Hills of South Dakota and other places of interest in the midwest and southern states.

AT CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. J. Benner, 1229 Accacia, spent several days last week in Sacramento, where they attended the Pacific Coast Inter-mountain Assn. of Fire Chiefs. Mr. Benner is chief of the Torrance Fire Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briganti Feted on Golden Wedding

Their Golden Wedding Anniversary was celebrated on Sunday, Aug. 4, by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briganti, 735 W. Carson with a beautiful reception and buffet. Mr. and Mrs. Briganti who have lived in Torrance for 30 years received the congratulations and close friends.

With them for the occasion were their seven children and 15 grandchildren. Daughters and sons present were Mrs. Joe Lupo, 21622 Moneta; Mrs. Michael Donish, 1636 Greenwood, Louie Briganti, 1646 Carson and Luigi Briganti, 2420 Iris, and Chris Briganti who lives with his parents. Two other daughters who came for the celebration were Mrs. Frank Longo of Los Angeles and Mrs. Walt Ward of Arcadia.

Mr. Briganti, 81 years old, was in the dairy business before his retirement. Mrs. Briganti is 73 years old. They are both members of the Nativity Catholic Church.

The Golden Wedding cake was served with other refreshments from a table decorated with candles and flowers.

Special guests at the reception were Mr. Briganti's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Croce Briganti and family of Bell.

EASTERNERS HERE

Mrs. O. J. Chicione, 2108 Andrea, is entertaining her niece, Miss Ann Burnett of Springfield, Mass., and her friend, Miss Ann Marie Brown of Holyoke, Mass. The visitors arrived by plane last Saturday for two weeks visit here.

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MR. AND MRS. FRANK BRIGANTI (Herald Photo) Married 50 Years

Party Fetes Terri Susan

Mrs. Don Oakes entertained with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon at her home, 1324 Amapola, honoring the fifth birthday of her little daughter, Terri Susan.

Birthday guests included Cara Armstrong, Barbara Lowe, Mike McClain, Diana Driscoll Wilmington; Margo Maclean, Nelda Maxwell and cousins from Santa Ana; Dee and Danny Bridges. Assisting the hostess was Sharon Miller.

The honored guest appeared on the Bill Stulla TV show Monday afternoon.

DINNER GUESTS

Friday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Smith of 2769 W. Carson St., were Mr. and Mrs. James Pope of Lakewood.

Joan Stewart and Husband On Northern Wedding Trip

Honeymooning in northern California and Nevada are Mr. and Mrs. Russell R. Travis, Jr., who were married Sunday afternoon at 3 at the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. The bride is the former Joan Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stewart, 1314 Madrid Ave.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Travis, Sr., 21135 S. Hobart Ave. The Rev. Hugh Percy, pastor at St. Andrew's, officiated at the marriage as Mrs. Meredith Anderson at the organ played a prelude of nuptial music and the wedding marches. Miss Shirley Reed served as maid of honor and Miss Pat Travis was the bridesmaid. They wore identical gowns of poudre blue tulle and net made on princess lines, and ornamented with white lace panels. Their bouquets were showers of pink carnations and roseoli.

The bride came to the altar with her father. Her wedding gown was of handclipped imported lace over satin. Details of the gown were a lace fitted bodice, long sleeves and a mandarin collar. The bride's bouquet was of white orchids surrounded by carnations and stephanotis.

Gary Ghio was best man and ushers were Frank Langley and Richard Donaldson.

The wedding reception was held in the St. Andrew's parish house where Mrs. Barbara Snyder of Vista, served the wedding cake and Miss Carol Cooper was at the punch bowl. Mrs. Nell Logan of Tucson, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Sanford Johnson of Hawthorne, were in charge of the gift table. Larry Wilson, cousin of the bridegroom, was the acolyte at the wedding. Miss Laila Wilson was in charge of the guest book.

The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School and her bridegroom was graduated from St. Anthony's in Long Beach. He is now attending USC.

The new home will be established at 3909 S. Hill, Los Angeles.

Courtesy for Mrs. Christian

Mrs. William Christian, who will leave within the next two weeks to make her home in Ogden, Utah, was the honoree at a lovely bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Burton Easley at her home, 3015 Eldorado, Tuesday afternoon.

Fall flowers decorated the rooms and individual tables where the luncheon was served.

Guests were members of Mrs. Christian's bridge club and several additional friends. Club members were Mmes. Robert Dexter, Charles Rippey, Jr., John Kemp, Lou Stellar, Douglas Baldwin, Lloyd Jones, Jack Day and Robert Evans. Other guests were Mmes. Parke Montague, William Patterson, Phyllis Klink, and W. E. Grubb.

Mrs. and Mrs. Christian and their two children, James and Janet, have resided on Sierra Pl. in Torrance, for the past eight years. Mr. Christian is being transferred by the Marquardt Aircraft Co. from Van Nuys to their new plant in Ogden.

Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Van Sommer of 4538 Greenmeadows Ave., entertained their potluck group with a patio barbecue Saturday evening.

After the feast, the group went to the Gay Nineties in Long Beach.

Those in the group were Messrs. and Mmes. William Tolson, George Post, Bob Leech, J. A. Barrington, Ken Miller and Bob Kerber.

RESORT VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rippey, Jr., 1813 Elm Ave. and their children accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp spent a delightful week's vacation at the San Moritz chalet of Mr. and Mrs. Rippey Sr.

FORMER RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnston, formerly of Torrance and now of Escondido, were Monday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kesson of 2015 W. 182 St.



MRS. RUSSELL R. TRAVIS, JR. (Crotty Photo) Former Joan Stewart